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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Herb H. Huang et al.

Application No.: 10/773,522

Filed: February 6, 2004

For: SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY  
CELL WITH BURIED DOPANT BIT  
LINES AND SALICIDED  
POLYSILICON WORD LINES  
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BLOCKS

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RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED  
EXAMINATION (RCE)

Sir:

Accompanying the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith, please enter the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action including final rejection of the claims mailed January 11, 2006. A petition for a two month extension of time to submit the RCE and this response, is being filed herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.